

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 29

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A RESOLUTION to call a joint convention of the House of Representatives and the Senate for the purpose of inaugurating the Honorable Phil Bredesen as Governor of the State of Tennessee, to provide for a recess and the subsequent adjournment of the One Hundred Fifth General Assembly organizational session, and to provide for the convention and recess of the 2007 regular session of the One Hundred Fifth General Assembly.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-1-101, provides that the Governor shall take the oath of office on the first Saturday following the fourteenth day of January next following his election, after the commencement of the organizational session of the General Assembly in accordance with Article II, Section 8 of the Constitution of Tennessee; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that the House of Representatives and the Senate meet in joint convention on the War Memorial Plaza on Saturday, January 20, 2007, at 11:30 a.m. (CST) for the purpose of inaugurating the Honorable Phil Bredesen as Governor of the State of Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a joint committee, to be composed of six (6) members of the House of Representatives and six (6) members of the Senate, be appointed by the respective Speakers to escort the Honorable Phil Bredesen to the podium to be inaugurated as Governor of Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the One Hundred Fifth General Assembly organizational session stand in recess at the close of business in both houses on Thursday,

January 11, 2007, and the House of Representatives and the Senate reconvene on Friday, January 19, 2007, at 2:00 p.m. (CST).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the One Hundred Fifth General Assembly organizational session stand in adjournment at the close of the joint convention on Saturday, January 20, 2007.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that pursuant to Article II, Section 8, of the Constitution of Tennessee, the One Hundred Fifth General Assembly convene in regular session on Saturday, January 20, 2007, immediately following adjournment of the One Hundred Fifth General Assembly organizational session.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the One Hundred Fifth General Assembly stand in recess at the close of business in both houses on Saturday, January 20, 2007, and the House of Representatives reconvene on Monday, January 29, 2007, at 5:00 p.m. (CST) and the Senate reconvene on Monday, February 5, 2007, at 5:00 p.m. (CST).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that pursuant to Article II, Section 16, of the Constitution of Tennessee, the Senate, by its concurrence in this resolution, consents to the recesses provided for herein.